

REMARKS

Claims 92-131 are currently pending. Claims 98, 121 and 128 are amended to delete the phrase "light chain of IgG." No new matter is added by this amendment.

In the Office action issued 12 Aug 2004, the applicants were required to elect a single disclosed species for prosecution on the merits. Applicants elect the species of SEQ ID NO:15, with the understanding that the applicant is entitled to consideration of claims to additional species which depend on an allowable generic claims. The claims readable on the elected species are 92-95, 97-111 and 113-131.

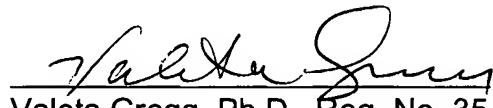
Conclusion

It is believed that this document is fully responsive to the election requirement raised in the Office action dated 12 Aug 2004. In light of the above amendments and remarks, it is believed that the claims are now in condition for allowance, and such action is respectfully urged.

Fees

Although it is believed that no fees are due, in the event the Patent Office determines that fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account Number 18-0650 in the amount of any fees deemed to be due.

Respectfully submitted


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